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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

NICOLE RENEE BUCHANAN,

Plaintiff,

v.

FRANK BISIGNANO,
Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant

Case No. 2:24-cv-02466-DMC

**ORDER GRANTING JOINT STIPULATION
FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES PURSUANT TO
THE EQUAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT (28
U.S.C. § 2412(d))**

On November 18, 2025, the parties filed a stipulation, signed by all counsel, for the award of attorney's fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act. See ECF No. 21. Good cause appearing therefor, the parties' stipulation will be approved, and attorney's fees will be awarded pursuant to the parties' agreement.

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Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. The parties' stipulation, ECF No. 21, is approved.

2. The Commissioner shall pay attorney's fees in the amount of \$10,000.00, such fees made payable to Plaintiff's counsel pursuant to an assignment executed by Plaintiff and subject to any offset determined by the Department of the Treasury.

Dated: November 19, 2025

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Dennis M. Cota", written over a horizontal line.

DENNIS M. COTA
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE